Omotik language

Omotik (Sawas) is a moribund <u>Nilotic language</u> of Kenya. It is spoken by the <u>hunter-gatherer Omotik people</u> of the <u>Great Rift Valley</u> among the <u>Maasai</u>; most of the Omotik population has shifted to the Maasai language.

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Omotik	
Laamoot	
Native to	Kenya
Region	Great Rift Valley, Kenya
Ethnicity	200 Omotiks (2000) ^[1]
Native speakers	(50 older adults cited 1980) ^[1]
Language family	Nilo-Saharan?
	Eastern Sudanic
	Nilotic
	Southern Nilotic
	 Omotik-Datooga
	Omotik
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	omt
Glottolog	omot1239 (http://glo
	ttolog.org/resource/
	languoid/id/omot123 9) ^[2]

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